Coloured pencils	10
Thread reels (small)	27
Steel needles (big)	27
Blue-black ink tablets	9 gross
Red ink tablets	3 "
Ink and pencil erasures	10 "
Dafter cloths of one yard each	50 yards
Blank books of three quires of 12 lbs. paper	75 "
Do two quires do	65 "
Bengal twine balls (big)	16
White square envelopes	12 packets
Notepaper to suit the covers (Silver Cross)	12 "
Red sealing wax, sticks	10
Cotton tags (big and small)	600
Rulers, round	2
Penknives (double blade 8, single blade 7)	15 (Rodgers)
Scissors (medium)	10 do
Green baize	20 yards
Asoka blotting paper, 38 lbs.	1 ream
Self-inking pads	12
Stamping superior ink bottles	30
Thabalock thread	20 seers
Gum	20 "
Gum bottles	10
Blotting pads	10

B. V. RAMAIENGER,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA DIVISION.

Notification dated the 18th June 1920.

The attention of the public is invited to pages 423 424, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 1st July 1920, calling for tenders for the supply of stationery articles for the use of Forest subordinates of the Division.

M. MACHAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

TARIKERE DIVISION.

Notification dated 30th June 1920.

It is hereby notified for information that the right of collection and removal of bamboos in the undermentioned State Forests of the Tarikere Division for the year 1920-21, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Tarikere Division, at the places noted against them on the dates fixed for the sale at 2 P.M.:—

Name of Range	Name of State Forest	Name of block	Place of sale	Date of sale	Minimum quantity to be purchased		Remarks
					Small bamboos	Big bamboos	
Tarikere ..	Hadikere ..	East & West blocks	District Forest Office, Tarikere.	29—7—20	10,000	..	Only for the year 1920-21.
	Gurupur ..	Gurupur ..			5,000	5,000	
	Thyagadabagi ..	Thyagadabagi ..			10,000	..	
Lakvalli ..	Lakvalli ..	Lakvalli ..			1,00,000	..	
Tadasa ..	Do ..	Do ..			1,00,000	10,000	
	Thadasa ..	Thadasa ..			10,000	..	
Habbe ..	Hebbegiri ..	Hebbegiri ..		25—7—20	5,000	2,000	
	Madla ..	Madla ..			5,000	..	
	Gangegiri ..	Gangegiri ..			5,000	..	
Muthodi ..	Muthodi ..	Melgiri W. C. ..	District Forest Office, Chikmagalur.		5,000	..	
		Muthodi W. C. ..			..	5,000	
		Jagar W. C. ..			..	5,000	
	Kagemanegiri ..	Kagemanegiri ..			5,000	..	

Conditions.

The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

2. The highest bidder shall deposit 10 per cent of the lease immediately the sale is concluded. If he fails to do so, the produce will be resold at his risk in which case, he shall not participate in any profit arising therefrom but on the other hand shall be liable for any loss that may thereby be caused to Government, which will be recovered as an arrear of revenue demand.

3. The successful purchaser or lessee shall pay the balance of the lease in three monthly instalments in advance, failing which the amount deposited or the whole amount paid already, as the case may be, will be forfeited to Government and the right resold subject to the conditions stipulated in para 2 *supra*. The first instalment should be paid within five days from the date on which the confirmation of sale is intimated to him.

4. The lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the following conditions and it shall be executed within a week from the date on which the confirmation of sale may be intimated to him; in default, the money paid by him will be forfeited to Government and the right disposed of by resale at his risk as defined in paras 2 and 3 *supra*. The lessee shall not be allowed to enter the forest and cut bamboos until he has executed the agreement and further paid the first instalment of the lease amount.

(*a*) The bamboos shall be collected or stored outside the block at such place or places as may be fixed by the Range Officer concerned and allowed to be removed on check by him and after a "permit to remove" is issued. Removal without such permits will be an offence to be dealt with according to law.

(*b*) The lessee shall not cut bamboos outside the limits of the block to which the lease refers nor exploit immature culms less than three years old.

(*c*) The lessee will be personally held responsible for the acts of his agents or servants or coolies in the business of collection and removal of bamboos and for preventing the cutting of culms under two years, by himself, his agents, servants or coolies.

(*d*) The lessee shall not sell the right purchased by him to other person or persons or appoint any agent or agents to work for him, without obtaining the previous permission in writing of the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) The lessee shall collect and remove the full quantity purchased from the limits of the forest before the end of December 1920. No permission will be granted for cutting and collection of bamboos after the 31st December 1920, but in very exceptional cases an extension of time not exceeding three months will be granted by the Conservator of Forests only for removal.

(*f*) The lessee shall accept the minimum quantity fixed in the notification as available in the block or area concerned and shall have no claim on the department for any deficit that may be found. If he removes any quantity above the minimum fixed within the lease period he will pay for the excess quantity at auction sale rates.

(*g*) The lessee shall abide by such orders as the District Forest Officer may issue regulating the transport of bamboos to and collection at their rafting stations.

(*h*) The lessee will be held responsible for the occurrence of any fire within the forest if there is sufficient ground for the Forest Department to suspect that it was caused by his negligence or by that of his employees.

(*i*) Neither the lessee nor his employees shall enter the forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*j*) The lessee shall deposit Rs. 100 (one hundred only) as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the money deposited as security shall be forfeited to Government in whole or part as the Conservator of Forests may decide and the lease liable to be cancelled.

5. No bamboos should be collected between 15th March and 15th April in the State Forests.

6. The sale does not prohibit the issue of retail licenses at seigniorage rates or the exercise of the rights of the villagers.

L. P. MASCARENHAS,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR DIVISION.

Abstract Notification, dated 28th June 1920.

The attention of the public is invited to detailed Notification dated 24th June 1920, calling for tenders for the carting of timber from the several forests of the Division during the year 1920-21, published on Pages 435-436, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 8th July 1920.

M. A. VARADACHAR,
District Forest Officer.